

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 379**

January 23, 2021

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Authorizes a county election commission to appoint an attending licensed physician to act as an emergency registrar for a hospitalized person who requests an emergency ballot, if the hospital administrator is absent.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 2-6-401(a)(2), a county election commission is authorized to appoint a hospital administrator to act as an emergency registrar for any hospitalized person that qualifies to submit an emergency absentee ballot.
- Authorizing the county election commission to appoint an attending licensed physician to act as an emergency registrar, in the absence of the hospital administrator, if an emergency absentee ballot is required will have no significant impact to state or local government.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bojan Savic".

Bojan Savic, Interim Executive Director

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